

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Masahiro YAMASHITA, et al.
Serial No. : 10/566,218
Confirmation No. : 3497
Filed : January 27, 2006
For : ELECTROLYTE MEMBRANE-ELECTRODE
ASSEMBLY, FUEL CELL USING THE SAME, AND
METHOD FOR PRODUCING ELECTROLYTE
MEMBRANE-ELECTRODE ASSEMBLY
Group Art Unit : 1729
Examiner : YANCHUK, Stephen J

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated April 29, 2011, applicants petition for a three-month extension and request that the Office Action be reconsidered in view of the amendments and remarks below.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.